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GENETICALLY ENGINEERED HERPES

VIRUS

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## **AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL ACTION UNDER 37 C.F.R. 1.116**

MS AF Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

## **INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

In response to the Office Action dated January 5, 2010, finally rejecting claims 1, 3-5, 10, 12 and 16-23, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 5 of this paper.